

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF CHIP BOARDS AND FIBER

BOARDS

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated February 24, 2005, finally rejecting Claims 1-7.

- [] Applicant claims small entity status.
- [X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:
- [X] Notice of Appeal Fee
 - [X] To be paid as detailed below
 - [] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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| [X] | Notice of Appeal Fee | \$500.00 |
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| [] | Extension: | \$0.00 |
| | FEE TOTAL: | \$1,520.00 |
| [] | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | \$0.00 |
| | TOTAL FEE: | \$1,520.00 |

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$1,520.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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